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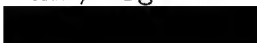
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2. Also, at the Deputies' meeting, called the Director's attention to the Alsop column on Sunday last relating to the Berlin policy paper. The Director expressed the view that this was a matter that might well be referred to ICIS, operating under the chairmanship

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3. Drafted and submitted to the Director a proposed letter

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4. Attended at O/NE meeting of the IAC deputies with respect to obtaining firmer Agency positions on NIEs. It appeared that a suitable arrangement could be worked out.

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5. [redacted] checked with Defense respecting arrangements for intelligence support for [redacted] I thereafter called Halaby at Defense and suggested that it might be better to have a single channel arranged, which would be adequate for [redacted] needs. This would probably best be accomplished through G-2, which acted as the exclusive agent of the IAC for servicing SHAPE. Halaby indicated that he was not familiar with the intelligence picture at this time and authorized me to make arrangements with Bolling, who could report to Halaby.

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6. Attended NSC Steering Group meeting respecting the Formosa papers and pressed the DCI's view that it was most important to have even a limited number of battle-worthy divisions which could be used for any of the many purposes we might find useful. After some discussion, Defense undertook to draft a revised paper.

7. Also, at the Steering Group meeting, instigated a request by the Group for CIA aid to furnish relative evaluations of major factual

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25X1A9a estimates. Chip Bohlen suggested that the first subject to be dealt  
with be Soviet air position, including production. At the suggestion of  
25X1A9a [REDACTED] requested [REDACTED] to have an appropriate minute by the  
Steering Group drafted, after consultation with [REDACTED] who attended 25X1A9a  
the meeting.

8. Talked with Mr. Price, Deputy Director of R&DB, which has  
in mind a project for coordinating all research in Defense relating to  
Psychological Warfare. They have in mind requesting [REDACTED] to serve 25X1A5a1  
on a part-time basis as the chairman of their panel. This choice seemed  
excellent to me. I outlined briefly to Price the fact that we were engaged  
in promoting coordination in this field, but felt that it would be most  
helpful to have an intra-Defense coordination established. It was my  
personal feeling that R&DB would be an excellent focal point for this  
activity. Price also informed me that McClure had requested R&DB to  
coordinate all Defense research relating to para-military activities.  
Here, again, I thought that intra-Defense coordination would be most  
helpful, but it, of course, would have to be coordinated with us.  
25X1A5a1 [REDACTED] acceptability to all sides would seem to make him an  
excellent choice. *Later informed DOP of all this*

25X1A9a 9. [REDACTED] informed me that he had cleared with the  
DCI re informing the FBI as to our source in the [REDACTED] 25X1A5a1

25X1A9a 10. As the result of several calls, was informed that Mr.  
[REDACTED] had satisfied Gen. Partridge as to the procedure and authority  
for the release of the China trade factual study.

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